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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9153

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: OVIP EFIN SU (ROCKEFELLER, DAVID)

SUBJ: ROCKEFELLER VISIT TO SUDAN

REF: STATE 275119

1. WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF DEPT COULD PASS FOLLOWING REPLY FROM  
AMBASSADOR TO ROBERT HOEN OF CHASE.

2. MESSAGE. QUOTE. DELIGHTED PROSPECTIVE DR VISIT NOW FIRM.  
WILL LOOK FORWARD WELCOMING HIM HERE AND  
ASSISTING IN ASSURING THAT VISIT GOES SMOOTHLY. I AM ARRANGE-  
ING BRIEFING BEFORE LUNCH AS REQUESTED.

WOULD OF COURSE WISH HOST STAG LUNCHEON AT RESIDENCE  
FOR DR AND PARTY. WHILE AGREE EMPHASIS SHOULD BE ON  
BUSINESS AND BANKING COMMUNITY, I BELIEVE GOS WOULD TAKE  
IT AMIS WERE ONE OR TWO SENIOR OFFICIALS, SUCH AS MINFIN,  
NOT INCLUDED. SUGGEST YOU PROVIDE SHORT LIST ANY OTHER  
NAMES YOU WOULD LIKE HAVE INVITED (MAXIMUM 21). WE  
WILL MARRY WITH EMBASSY SUGGESTIONS AND THEN  
TELEGRAPH YOU SUGGESTED COMPLETE GUEST LIST.

EMBASSY WILL BE HAPPY ASSIST RE AFTERNOON CALLS WHEN  
LETTER REFERRED PARA 3 REFTEL ARRIVES. HOWEVER, AS YOU KNOW,  
SUDANESE GENERALLY SHUT UP SHOP FROM LUNCHTIME UNTIL  
SIX PM AT EARLIEST. DR MIGHT THEREFORE HAVE HOUR OR TWO IN  
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LATE AFTERNOON EITHER FOR REST OR RELAXATION. REGARDING

LATTER, SHOULD DR BE INTERESTED, WOULD BE GLAD ARRANGE SHORT VISIT EXCELLENT LOCAL MUSEUM (PALEOLITHIC TO LATE MIDDLE AGES, INCLUDING EXTENSIVE MURALS FROM CHRISTIAN PERIOD) OR CONDUCTED TOUR OMDURMAN BATTLEFIELD (SENIOR ARMY OFFICER WITH STAFF MAPS DOES EXCELLENT PRESENTATION.)

EMBASSY PROCEEDING MAKE RESERVATIONS REQUESTED PARA 5 REFTEL. WILL CONFIRM TO YOU AS SOON AS BOOKINGS MAKE. LOOKING FORWARD TO HAVING YOU WITH US. END MESSAGE UNQUOTE.

3. FOR DEPT. EMBASSY WILL MAKE POINTS PARA 7 REFTEL AS APPROPRIATE. HOWEVER, I WISH EMPHASIZE THAT SUDANES, LIKE OTHER ARABS, TEND TREAT MEMBERS IMMEDIATE FAMILY ON SAME BASIS AS FAMILYMJS POLITICAL LEADERS, IF ANY. SINCE DR'S BROTHER WILL SO RECENTLY HAVE BEEN SWORN IN AS VP, THIS ATTITUDE MAY BE EXPECTED OBTAIN HERE IN THE CASE OF THIS VISIT. ANY UNDUE EFFORT BY EMBASSY DISZVSSOCIATE ITSELF FROM TRIP MIGHT IN CIRCUMSTANCES BE REGARDED LOCALLY AS RUDE OR INCOMPREHENSIBLE OR BOTH.  
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